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DEPARTMENT PASS TO: ROSALYN KOFFMAN
28 OTSEGO AVENUE
TROY, NY 12180

1. I HAVE RECEIVED YOUR CABLE OF JULY 25, 1977, CONCERNING EDWARD GOLDSTEIN.
 2. IT IS WITH PROFOUND REGRET THAT I MUST INFORM YOU OF THE DEATH OF YOUR FATHER EDWARD GOLDSTEIN. ARIEH EISENBACH, A FRIEND OF HIS, INFORMED THE CONSULATE GENERAL OF HIS DEATH BY UNDETERMINED CAUSE ON JULY 24, 1977, AT THE APARTMENT HE SHARED WITH MR. & MRS. MESH AT 9 NAHUM ST., JERUSALEM.
 3. YOUR FATHER HAS BEEN IDENTIFIED BY THE TESTIMONY OF HIS NEIGHBORS.
 4. THE CONSULATE GENERAL WILL TAKE CHARGE OF HIS PERSONAL EFFECTS AND WILL WRITE TO YOU CONCERNING THEIR DISPOSITION.
 5. UNDER THE LOCAL LAW REQUIRING LOCAL BURIAL OR ARRANGEMENT FOR SHIPMENT WITHIN 24 HOURS AFTER DEATH, YOUR FATHER'S REMAINS HAVE ALREADY BEEN INTERRED AT HAR M'NEXOT CEMETERY, GIVAT SHAUL, JERUSALEM, IN BLOCK 25, SECTION 3, ROW 3, GRAVE 3. ALL THE REQUIREMENTS OF A PROPER BURIAL UNDER JEWISH LAW WERE FOLLOWED AT THAT TIME.
 6. YOUR FATHER'S REMAINS WERE INTERRED BY THE PARUSHI COM-
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- PANY, PINAS 11, JERUSALEM, TELEPHONE AREA CODE (02) 22344. THE PARUSHI COMPANY WILL ACCEPT PAYMENT FOR THE SERVICES PROVIDED (THE COST IS EXPECTED TO BE APPROXIMATELY 830 DOLLARS), BUT DOES NOT REQUIRE PAYMENT UNDER THE PRESENT CIRCUMSTANCES.
7. EXHUMATION AND SHIPMENT OF REMAINS REQUIRES PRIOR PER-

MISSION OF THE ISRAELI AUTHORITIES. FURTHER, ISRAELI PUBLIC HEALTH LAWS STIPULATE THAT REMAINS MAY BE DISINTERRED NO SOONER THAN ONE YEAR AFTER BURIAL. COSTS OF EXHUMATION WERE NOT AVAILABLE FROM LOCAL AUTHORITIES AND THE PARUSHI COMPANY; AIR SHIPMENT OF PREPARED REMAINS TO NEW YORK, USA, CURRENTLY COSTS APPROXIMATELY 886 DOLLARS. PLEASE CONTACT US IMMEDIATELY IF YOU DESIRE THAT YOUR FATHER'S REMAINS BE EXHUMED AND RETURNED TO THE UNITED STATES.

8. TELEGRAPH ANY INSTRUCTIONS YOU MAY HAVE FOR US PROMPTLY AND DIRECTLY TO THE AMERICAN CONSULATE GENERAL AT JERUSALEM AND INCLUDE THE NAME OF THE DECEASED IN YOUR MESSAGE.

9. IF NECESSARY, YOU MAY CONTACT THE CONSULAR SECTION OF THIS POST BY PHONING AREA CODE (02) 272681 IN JERUSALEM.

10. I REGRET THAT THE CONSULATE GENERAL DID NOT INFORM YOU SOONER OF THE DEATH OF YOUR FATHER; WE WERE NOT AWARE OF THE EXISTENCE OF ANY NEXT OF KIN OF MR. GOLDSTEIN UNTIL WE RECEIVED YOUR CABLE.

11. BE ASSURED OF MY DEEPEST SYMPATHY IN YOUR BEREAVEMENT.
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